# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
# RAILWAYS
# LOK SABHA

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Lines Affected due to Flood
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**Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:**

(a) whether the Railways has sent any monitoring team to the State of Tamil Nadu in which majority of the railway lines have been affected due to recent floods;

(b) if so, the details thereof and the loss suffered by the Railways due to the excess floods in the State; and

(c) the details of the steps initiated by the Government in this regard?

## Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

(SHRI MANOJ SINHA)

(a) to (c) : Due to the recent floods, several railway lines of the railway network in Tamil Nadu were affected. The situation was continuously monitored by the senior officers of Southern Railway, South Central Railway and South Western Railway at Headquarters level and officers of Chennai, Tiruchchirappalli, Guntakal and Bangalore Divisions at field level. Restoration works at the affected locations were taken up and completed by the Railways on war footing at an approximate cost of `20 crores.
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